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IMMUNE MODULATION

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REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

In reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed November 30, 2001 (a copy of which is enclosed), Applicant as a small entity submits herewith the following:

- A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.63.
- Payment of the surcharge of \$65.00 for late filing of the basic filing fee/declaration.

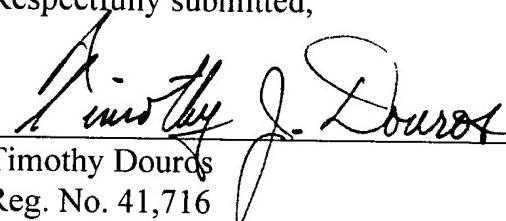
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.**

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